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SUBJECT: POLITICAL VIOLENCE

1. CONTINUED SCATTERED POLITICAL VIOLENCE OVER THE LAST THREE DAYS HAS MADE HEADLINES, BUT HAS CAUSED NO DISRUPTION OF THE ELECTORAL CAMPAIGN. BRIEFLY:
- A TERRORIST WAS KILLED NEAR BILBAO WHEN THE BOMB HE WAS PLACING EXPLODED PREMATURELY.
- ELSEWHERE IN THE BASQUE COUNTRY, BOMBS DAMAGED TWO TELEVISION TRANSMISSION TOWERS AND AN ELECTRIC POWER STATION, THE CAR BELONGING TO A FORMER NATIONAL MOVEMENT CHIEF WAS BURNED, AND THE RAILROAD TRACK NEAR RETERIA IN GUIPUZCOA WAS BLOWN UP.
- IN PAMPLONA, TWO GRENADES WERE THROWN INTO A POLICE PARKING LOT, AND A SHOP WAS FIRE BOMBED.
- COURTHOUSES WERE DAMAGED BY BOMBS IN BARCELONA AND VALENCIA.
- IN LAS PALMAS, A BOMB DAMAGED A BANK AND NEARBY BUILDINGS. THE CANARIAN SEPARATIST GROUP MPAIAC IS BELIEVED RESPONSIBLE.

2. POLICE AND MILITARY HAVE TAKEN UP POSITIONS IN
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ELECTRICAL POWER PLANTS, POLLING PLACES, AND OTHER KEY INSTALLATIONS THROUGHOUT SPAIN IN AN EFFORT, "OPERATION ARIETE", PLANNED LAST WEEK (REF. MADRID 4418) TO GUARD AGAINST ANY DISRUPTION OF THE VOTING BY VIOLENCE.

3. MEANWHILE, THE ETA KIDNAPPERS OF SR. YBARRA

HAVE REPORTEDLY SET A DEADLINE OF MIDNIGHT TONIGHT
FOR RANSOM PAYMENT, UPON PENALTY OF HIS EXECUTION. STABLER

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